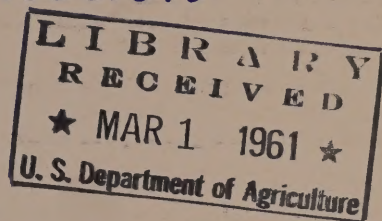


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Irises of Distinction



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GREETINGS FOR 1961

Once again I have the pleasure of bringing you my little catalog listing the lovely Linse hybrids, and many of the finer things from others, including a nice group of the new C. G. White fertile Oncobreds. Although it is pure conjecture on my part, I have no doubt that these, used together with the Linse and other hybrids—and the tall bearded, will yield some wonderful things, and I am working to that end. Why don't you take a hand?

It is a fact that there is no finer stock in America today, and I will so guarantee it. Personally grown, dug, selected and packed by me—all from one year plants. **You just can't get a poor order from Easy Breeze!** Many thanks for past favors!
Sincerely, Jack G. Linse

TERMS OF SALE

CASH WITH ORDER. Check, draft or money order. No stamps, please.

POSTAGE PAID in U. S. and Canada. Minimum mail order, \$5.00.

SHIPMENT July 10th to October 10th. No spring shipments.

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STOCK GUARANTEED true to name, disease free, and to reach you in live, growing condition. Report failure to grow by October 1st, year of planting, for replacement or refund, our option. Liability limited to cost of stock. I reserve the right to withdraw any variety from gift or sale if stock seems in jeopardy, or proves unfit for shipment.

BIG FREE OFFER

My sensational offer of free extras with your order is being repeated this year. You may select anything in this catalog as an extra excepting 1961 introductions, and the very few starred (*) varieties, which are scarce, according to the size of your orders, as follows: — If you send me:

\$ 5.00 to \$ 9.00, choose	60%	worth more, free— (\$ 3.00 to \$ 5.40)
\$10.00 to \$19.00-----	70%	-----(\$ 7.00 to \$13.30)
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\$30.00 to \$39.00-----	90%	-----(\$27.00 to \$35.10)
\$40.00 to \$49.00-----	100%	-----(\$40.00 to \$49.00)
\$50.00 and up-----	100%	-----plus Soft Shoulders

YEAR END SPECIAL

This Bargain Counter for Southern gardeners is extremely popular, and all are amazed by the wonderful varieties and high class stock received. After September 1st I will ship you surplus of my newest, most expensive varieties—\$100.00 list value and over, for \$35.00, postpaid. My selection of varieties, obviously, but name some you'd like — I'll oblige if they are available. Starred varieties and 1961 introductions cannot be included. Way, way below wholesale, but not recommended for gardeners in the Northern tier of states.

GARDEN CLUBS

Pool your orders and get into the higher brackets for extra benefits. Remember, \$40.00 gets you \$80.00 worth of irises! Kindly send in your group's orders all at one time. Those amounting to \$5.00 in cash will be prepaid right to the member. Two or three of you get together and combine your small orders making them total not less than \$5.00, and they will be shipped, prepaid to the one sending them in. I cannot accept smaller orders.

1961 INTRODUCTIONS

LETTER FROM HOME (Linse 1961) 40" to 42". Midseason to late. I have watched this iris for several years and it is near perfection in the Arilbred line. A lovely Amethyst violet self, with blue based light yellow beard. It is slightly ruffled and spicily fragrant, and opens its first bloom well along in midseason. The tall, ramrod stiff stalks, as straight and erect as a platoon of soldiers on Dress Parade, have two and three way branching, with beautiful placement, the well held blossoms meeting you at eye-level. The great 8 inch blossoms seem to defy wind, rain and sun, and plants are hardy and vigorous. Seedling number is Nscap 55-23, breeding New Snow X Capitola. Each \$25.00 Net.

MIRTH (Linse 1961) 28" to 30". Early to midseason. A very handsome and flaring bitone, or bicolor, different than any other in my hybrid line. The large 7½ inch flowers have rich, deep velvety falls of reddish pansy purple, with golden brown beard and suggestion of signal patch, and golden brown sheen center of falls. Standards are a brilliant, velvety, pansy violet. The whole flower slightly ruffled and waved, and somewhat fragrant. Two way branching and terminal, with usually several bloomstalks to the rhizome. A very handsome flower! Seedling number Spellcap 58-3, breeding, Spellbound X Capitola. Heavy substance. Each \$25.00 Net.

IRISES OF DISTINCTION

In making out your order be sure to take advantage of our tremendous free extras offer per schedule on page 2.

AFTER MIDNIGHT (Muhlestein '49) 36". Large and fine iris of darkest purple. \$1.00

AIRY MISS (Linse '53) 26". Broad and lovely, flatly flaring seedling of Ormohr in blue-purple. \$1.50

ALICE LEMEN (Plough '57) 36". HM '60. Excellent, very lacy variety, with standards of Empire yellow and falls of white, with yellow hafts. \$7.50

ALPINE MEADOW (Stevens '55) 34". This has clear white standards and falls of blue. \$2.00

ANYTIME (Cavagnaro '56) 38". HM '56. A warm ivory white of tremendous size, heavy substance and beautiful form. This is a seedling of Lady Mohr and really terrific! \$6.00

ARGUS PHEASANT (DeForest '48) 38". Dykes Medal '52. Top quality golden brown. \$1.00

AZURE HAVEN (Reynolds '57) 40". HM '57. Broad and ruffled light blue, with lighter area about the haft and beard. \$7.50

BABY'S BONNET (Baker '57) 34". HM '57. White standards and pale pink falls, with tangerine beard. \$7.50

BALLERINA (Hall '51) 36". AM '53. A Flamingo pink with tangerine beard, with beautiful form and heavy substance. \$1.00

BAND OF GOLD (Linse '60) 36". Heavily ruffled iris of creamy white with gold on the underside of the falls, whose upturned edges form a band of gold. \$20.00

BARTOW LAMMERT (Benson '58) 38". HM '58. Massive, somewhat ruffled white, with white beard. \$5.00

BEECHLEAF (Kleinsorge '55) 36". AM '59. Ruffled and flaring coppery brown with violet undertone. \$2.50

BETHEL (Linse '54) 37". No awards, but about the cleanest golden tan on the market. Flaring falls, heavy substance, no haft markings. A child of Lady Mohr but appears tall bearded.

\$1.50

BLACK HILLS (Fay '51) 38". AM '54. Excellent black iris. Tall and smooth, and a good performer.

\$1.00

BLUE MOTIFE (Linse '58) 38". This huge greenish blue could well be the best of the New Snow, Capitola cross. It is tall, well branched and extremely vigorous, with substance that defies the sun—even in Southern California. Has a blue tipped, blue based beard and carries pollen.

\$10.00

BLUE SAPPHIRE (Schreiner '53) 40". Dykes Medal '58. Large, ruffled light blue.

\$1.00

BLUE STARDUST (Muhlestein '55) 37". Sparkling blue seedling of Cahokia.

\$1.00

BLUMOHR (Marx '49) 37". AM '52. Popular silvery light blue seedling of Wm. Mohr.

\$1.00

BOLD CONTRAST (Linse '54) 38". HM '55. Likely the most handsome of all variegatas—late and lovely! Standards are Inca Gold and the falls raspberry to Mauve-rose, edged the color of the standards.

\$4.00

BUTTERFLY WINGS (C. G. White '46) 36". HM '47. A fertile grandchild of the Onco Susiana with standards of Wisteria blue and falls parchment, lined golden russet and deep carmine.

\$1.00

BUTTERSCOTCH KISS (Plough '57) 34". AM '59. A "must have" for many, this is a large butterscotch yellow, with a tremendous amount of lacing around all petals. New flowers are luscious but color fades and branching is high.

\$7.50

CAPITOLA (Reinelt '40) 24". AM '50. Famous hybrid pollen parent. Dark purple with Onco veining and signal.

\$1.00

CAPTAIN GALLANT (Schmelzer '59) 36". HM '59. As seen in the originators garden in '59, this was a very smooth red without haft markings on a tall vigorous plant. Substance and branching both good and fertile both ways.

\$20.00



CASCADIAN

CARELESS LOVE (Linse '59) 36". A stunning seedling of Butterfly Wings. Large and flatly flaring with heavy substance and vigorous plant growth. Standards pale lemon yellow, falls golden green-yellow, merging into cream at the edges, with blue-violet area in the center. Nicely ruffled.

\$15.00

CARIBOU TRAIL (Plough '57) 32". AM '59. Heavily laced variety in rich medium brown. Center of falls violet. Sister to Butterscotch Kiss.

\$7.50

CARMELA (Schreiner '55) 36". AM '58. A honey colored flower, large and lacy. Fades badly.

\$2.00

CAROLINE JANE (DeForest '51) 38". AM '55. Clean looking, ruffled white plicata with violet edging. An excellent and vigorous variety.

\$1.00

CASCADIAN (Linse '52) 36". AM '57. One of the loveliest of all white irises. A ruffled, cool, crisp beauty!.

\$1.00

CASINO (Plough '55) 40". HM '56. Heavily striped and veined rosy mulberry seedling of Wm. Mohr.

\$1.50

CATHEDRAL BELLS (Wallace '53) 40". AM '56. A delicate shrimp pink, with widely flaring falls and serrated edges. \$1.00

CELESTIAL BLUE (Bro. Charles '54) 36". HM '55. Nicely ruffled, frosty, clear light blue. \$1.50

CELESTIAL VALLEY (Wedgwood '56) 38". This silvery light blue seedling of Snow Flurry X Capitola is vigorous and attractive. \$2.00

CINNA MAC (Hopson '57) 24". HM '57. Lovely hybrid novelty, with standards light lavender, infused gold, and flaring falls of warm gold, infused cinnamon. A beauty! \$4.00

CLARA B (Muhlestein '52) 37". A white iris with border of gold lace around all petals. For the hybridizer. \$1.00

CONSTANT COMMENT (Hall '54) 37". HM '56. Large, ruffled pinkish apricot with red-orange beard. \$1.00

CRINKLED SUNSET (Plough '57 32". HM '58. Odd, rather than beautiful. A heavily laced melange of lavender, buff, lilac and pink. \$5.00

CRISPETTE (Schreiner '54) 34". AM '57. A nice, deep orchid self of fine form, with fluted petals and just a wee bit of lace. \$1.50

DARK BOATMAN (Cook '54) 35". AM '56. One of the very best near-blacks. A deep, velvety, violet-black with flaring form, nice ruffling and smooth, un-veined haft. \$3.50

DARLENE WATERS (Linse '56) 40". An excellent Arilbred with flaring flowers of violet-blue. Vigorous and hardy with good plant habits. In 1960 I counted 11 bloomstalks on a one year plant. \$4.00

DREAMY (Linse '53) 38". HM '56. A tremendous white with white beard and crepe-like petals. \$1.50

EASTMONT (Plough '56) 40". Handsome ruffled hybrid of violet. Plant in the background and stake. \$2.50

EBONY ECHO (Tompkins '48) 40". AM '53. Certainly not new, but there has been very little advance in red irises, and year in and year out this and Quechee continue to be our most reliable and best. Deep carmine with satiny black overlay, flat flare and heavy substance. \$1.00

ESCAPADE (Tompkins '52) 36". Rich, glowing orchid with border of gold and golden beard. \$1.00

EXOTIC (Linse '54) 48". A brilliant tan-rose, suffused gold, with lilac blaze. Massive flowers, best of substance and stalks. \$1.50

FABULOUS KATE (Muhlestein '50) 38". HM '52. Very large, medium yellow of beautiful flaring form, and extreme vigor. \$1.00

FAIRY DANCE (Linse '55) 36". Ruffled and flaring pinkish-lavender seedling of Ripples. Reported somewhat difficult to grow by some, but very lovely when well grown. \$3.50



DARLENE WATERS

FIRST FLIGHT (Plough '57) 33". HM '58. Heavily laced iris of Bishop's violet. \$7.50

FIRST VIOLET (DeForest '52) 38". Dykes Medal '56. Large ruffled flowers of manganese-violet, with clean hafts and lighter beard. Very vigorous. \$2.50

FLAME KISS (Plough '58) 40". HM '59. An iris of nice contrasts, with white standards and semi-flaring Dresden yellow falls, high lighted by a tangerine beard. \$7.50

FOR SURE (Linse '53) 38". Frilly flowers of creamy tan, lightly bordered Pinard yellow. A great brown beard lies on a field of violet, and the rich fragrance of black jelly beans pervades the flower. A child of Lady Mohr that is tall and well branched. \$2.50

FOX FIRE (Fox '52) 40". AM '57. One of our best deep yellows. Tall and vigorous. \$1.00

FRANCES CRAIG (Craig '52) 40". AM '55. Powder blue hybrid of great merit. Large flowers with good substance. \$1.50

FRONT ROW (Linse '58) 36". A mauve-rose hybrid with ruby signal. Pods easily and has abundant pollen. The large flowers have good substance, stalks well branched for the type, and vigorous in growth. \$10.00

FROST AND FLAME (Hall '57) 38". AM '59. This is by far the best of the pure whites with tangerine beard that I have seen. Substance, stalks, branching all seem good. A large stock permits a bargain price. \$5.00

GARNET ROYAL (Corey '56) 34". HM '57. From Ebony Echo crossed by Garden Glory, this is a handsome new, rich dark red, with closed standards and velvety flaring falls. Hafts are clean, beard is brown, and plants grow well. \$10.00

GAY HEAD (Knowlton '54) 38". HM '54. One of the better variegatas, with clear yellow standards and broad maroon-red falls, bordered yellow. \$3.00

GAY PAREE (Plough '56) 38". HM '56. Standards are white, falls white with hafts to half way down, green-gold. \$2.50

GAY PRINCESS (O. Brown '57) 34". HM '57. A heavily laced lemon-yellow with flaring falls. \$7.50

GENE WILD (Craig '52) 37". HM '54. Fancy plicata of waved and flaring form. Ground color is white with an all-over pattern of wine-rose. Hardy and vigorous. \$2.00

GLOBETROTTER (Linse '56) 42". This is a beautiful brown, with huge flowers of rosy buff, smooth and clean. Fine form, best of substance, and stalks are sturdy and well branched. \$5.00

GOLDEN JOPPA (Linse '58) 35". A perfectly hardy, healthy, and easily grown Arilbred, with the full globular form of the Oncos. The big, heavy substantanced flowers have standards of cream white, domed and firm. The falls, broad and semi-flaring are of medium straw yellow, with hint of elusive green in the center. Delightful fragrance, has pollen and sets seeds readily. Breeding: (Extravaganza x Rajah Brooke) x sib X Joppa Parrot. \$17.50

GOLDEN PLOVER (DeForest '50) 38". HM '51. Grand golden tan, broad and flaring. \$1.00

GRAND COULEE (Plough '58) 34". HM '59. This seedling of Mary Randall is one of today's finest irises, and far superior to any other I've seen from this hybridizer. The color is, in effect, a rosy tan blend, and blossoms are huge and broad, and ruffled, with wonderful poise. \$12.50

GRAND TETON (DeForest '56) 33". HM '57. Perfectly gigantic wax yellow, who's downfelling falls are ruffled and waved in a most pleasing manner. \$7.50

GREAT DAY (Tompkins '52) 36". HM '53. A large and brilliant rich carmine red, with black overtones. \$1.50

HAPPY BIRTHDAY (Hall '52) 36". AM '54. A large flowered, bold growing, lovely pink, with tangerine beard. \$1.00

HARBOR BLUE (Schreiner '54) 33". AM '57. This is a very rich medium blue of quality. \$1.50

HEATHER ANGEL (Linse '56) 37". An Arilbred of rounded Onco form. Heather purple with some ruffling. \$2.00

***HENRY SHAW** (Benson '59) 33". HM '59. A beautiful white with the entire blossom corrugated on the petal edges. You never saw such ruffling! Only a very few to spare—one to the customer, please. \$15.00

HIGH COMMAND (Long '45) 36". An English iris which I continue to list for there is no other like it. Standards are yellow, falls blackish maroon, edged in white, and with bright striations extending well out on the falls, highlighting the flower. \$1.00

HIGH HEELS (Linse '59) 42" to 48". Regal carriage on tall, perfectly branched stalks mark this iris as something out of the ordinary. The large, horizontally flaring blooms are Wisteria blue, with white beard. The falls are so broad that they meet at the haft, leaving no gap. Heavy fragrance of raspberries. Breeding: Cascadian X Windsor. \$17.50

HOT TODDY (Linse '57) 33". A novelty containing much Onco blood, being from a Butterfly Wings seedling X Pineapple Sherbet. Hardy as an oak and grows well. Color is greenish yellow, spotted, splattered and splashed with ruby red. Flaring form, domed and overlapping standards, and good branching. A riot of color. \$5.00



INSIDE STORY

HUDSON BAY (Plough '53) 30". Heavily laced iris with arched standards of rosy brown and flaring falls of Rhodamine purple. \$7.50

INCA CHIEF (Mitsch '52) 35". AM '54. Burnished golden bronze, of heavy substance. Huge blossoms that are slightly waved. Always spectacular. \$1.50

INSIDE STORY (Linse '59) 32". HM '59. The standards of this unusual iris are mauve, opalescent over-all, with ruffled edges. The flaring and ruffled falls are a blending of mauve, orchid and Nile green, with henna at the haft, and with golden edges. The crowning glory of this iris is the immense style arms, lacy, and up to two inches wide, completely filling the center of the flower. Huge flowers with four way branched stalks. Breeding: Lady Mohr X Snoqualmie. \$20.00

IRMA MELROSE (DeForest '56) 38". HM '56. A huge ruffled and flaring beauty, with lemon yellow standards and lighter falls, bordered deeper lemon yellow. \$5.00

- JUNE MEREDITH** (Muhlestein '54) 36". AM '56. Bright, ruffled and waved clear pink with tangerine beard. One of the very best and a fine parent. \$3.50
- LADY BLUEBEARD** (Suiter '55) 36". Very early cool white with heavy powder blue beard. \$3.00
- LAVANESQUE** (Schreiner '53) 40". AM '59. Excellent orchid pink, ruffled and waved. \$1.50
- LIMELIGHT** (Hall '52) 35". AM '54. Very lacy greenish yellow. Lovely. \$1.50
- LINGER LONGER** (Linse '60) 35". Sister to High Heels, shorter and of rounded flaring form. Standards are Aster violet with heavy midrib of white. Falls the same, with leather-like substance, lovely lacing and nice fragrance. Very late. \$15.00
- MAGIC MOMENTS** (Linse '59) 36". This Arilbred, sister to Hot Toddy and Purple Butterfly, has standards of Empire yellow, ruffled and well held. Falls are flaring and ruffled, of Canary yellow, overlaid with fine netting of golden brown, green and olive brown. White at center with green stripe. Beard gold with lavender base. Clean, vigorous and beautifully branched. \$15.00
- MARY McCLELLAN** (Craig '52) 48". White Award '59. Very large, clear deep violet-blue. Flaring, ruffled and vigorous. Part Onco but shows no contact with the species. \$2.50
- MARY NO** (Linse '60) 35". A linebred Mary Randall seedling of Erythrite red, with shades of Claret rose, deeper band around the edges and tangerine-orange beard. Pretty thing! \$15.00
- MARY RANDALL** (Fay '51) 37". Dykes Medal '54. Rich Bengal rose, with heavy red beard. Broad, smooth and clean and a marvelous parent. \$2.00
- MAYAN GOLD** (McKee '50) 37". A very brilliant golden orange. Broad, flaring and ruffled. \$1.00
- MAY HALL** (Hall '54) 35". AM '56. Lovely, flaring, flamingo pink with red-tangerine beard. \$2.50
- MAYTIME** (Whiting '50) 38". AM '53. Fine, broad iris with lilac pink standards and rose pink falls. \$1.00
- MELISSA** (Hinkle '56) 36". HM '58. Rich deep blue with blue beard. Flowers are large and ruffled, with domed standards and flaring falls. \$7.50
- MELODY WATERS** (Linse '57) 36". Two competent judges each thought that this was the most beautiful iris they had ever seen. Sort of pinkish lavender, by the chart Sea-lavender violet, with darker flecking. Standards are domed and overlapping, falls widely flaring, the whole beautifully ruffled. (See the illustration). Heavy substance, good branching and hardy plant. From New Snow X Capitola. \$12.50
- MIDNIGHT BLUE** (Schreiner '54) 36". HM '56. A jaunty and floriferous iris of dark violet. \$1.00
- MOHRESQUE** (Keith '50) 38". Extremely vigorous hybrid of brownish yellow, spotted and splashed purple. \$1.00
- MOHR GLORIOUS** (Muhlestein '52) 32". HM '54. Very lovely seedling of Elmohr, shorter, but much smoother. Color is mulberry. Slow to increase. \$3.50



MELODY WATERS

MOHR HAVEN (Reynolds '57) 35". HM '57. Vigorous hybrid in the color range of Blumohr, but with better form. \$7.50

NIGHT PATROL (Benson '54) 38". HM '55. Deep violet-blue, with ruffled and flaring form and heavy substance. \$1.00

ORANGE BANNER (Waters '55) 34". HM '55. Large orange-yellow. Broad and full with semi-flaring falls. \$4.00

ORANGE FRILLS (Suiter '54) 36". HM '54. Lacy orange-apricot with flaring form and red-orange beard. \$2.50

OZIE WATERS (Linse '56) 36". A deep rose-red Arilbred with blackish signal. Large, flaring flowers of heavy substance and most delicious fragrance. Has pollen and will set some seeds. \$10.00

PALOMINO (Hall '52) 36". AM '54. An ivory colored iris with amber-orange shoulders and margins, and tangerine beard. \$1.00

PARADISE PINK (Lapham '50) 32". AM '52. An excellent flamingo pink with tangerine beard. \$1.00

PARTY DRESS (Muhlestein '51) 36". AM '54. Very lovely pink, clean, ruffled and edged with lace! \$1.00

PHLOX PINK (Linse '56) 40". The ladies love this one. It is large and tall, fully hardy and vigorous, and of a delicate shade of Phlox Pink. A hybrid. \$4.00

PHOEBUS APOLLO (C. G. White '54) 36". HM '55. Intense wax yellow of beautiful flaring and ruffled form. Assumed to be an Oncobred. Grows well and is fertile. \$3.50

PIERRE MENARD (Faught '48) 38". AM '50. Handsome medium blue-violet, ruffled, flaring and vigorous. \$1.00

PINAFORE LASS (F. Cook 51) 38". HM '52. A striking novelty like a white pinafore edged in ruffled lavender-blue. Miffy grower. \$1.50

PINEAPPLE SHERBET (Linse '56) 44". Rounded and somewhat flaring, fertile seedling of Joppa Parrot. Tall and well branched. Color is a near self of Pineapple. Plants often do not show increase until fall. Perfectly hardy. \$10.00

PINK ACCENT (Pattison '53) 40". HM '54. Large, rounded, fancy pink plicata. \$1.00

PINK FORMAL (Muhlestein '49) 38". AM. '51. Large, broad petalled, tangerine bearded pink. \$1.00

PINK SENSATION (Hall '48) 35". AM '52. Sensational pure pink with tangerine beard. Few better! \$1.00

PORT WINE (Sass Bros. '50) 37". AM '53. Wine-red standards and white falls, almost solidly bordered wine-red. Extremely fragrant. \$1.00

PRETENDER (Cook '51) 35". AM '55. Amber yellow standards and blue falls with lighter margins. \$1.00

PRETTY GAY (Plough '57) 34". HM '57. Large white iris with fiery red beard. Tremendously vigorous. \$5.00

PURPLE BUTTERFLY (Linse '60) 30". An odd hybrid with violet standards with greenish midrib and flaring falls whose base color is cream-white, lined their entire length with Spectrum violet. Smooth, clean colors. Fragrant flowers on well branched stems. Child of Pineapple Sherbet. \$20.00

QUECHEE (Knowlton '50) 35". HM '50. A flaring garnet-red with satin finish and heavy substance. \$1.00

QUEEN'S LACE (Muhlestein '55) 32". AM '57. Heavily laced cream white. \$3.50

RASPBERRY RIBBON (Schreiner '51) 34". AM '55. White ground plicata with falls bordered with raspberry stitching. \$1.00



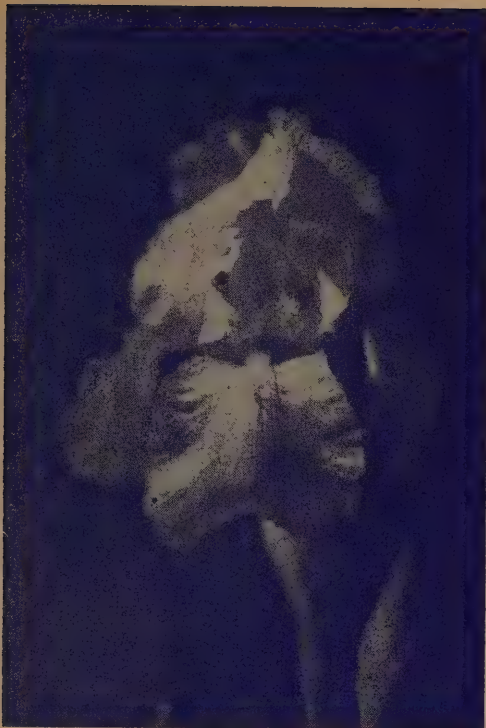
OZIE WATERS

RED BUTTERFLY (Linse '56) 40". Part Onco, with standards of rose and white falls lined with red (Dahlia Purple), with gold lines near the haft. Give part shade in warmest areas. \$2.50

REGINA MARIA (Hinkle '55) 36". AM '57. Full formed, flaring, medium blue. Large and smooth. \$5.00

REHOBETH (DeForest '53) 36". AM '56. Beautifully formed, palest sky blue of huge size. \$2.00

RIGHT ROYAL (Wills '54) 38". Tall, rich rose red, smooth and with heavy substance. \$2.00



PINEAPPLE SHERBET

RIVIERA (Plough '57) 34". HM '58. An excellent Dresden yellow. Broad, ruffled and lacy. Very fine. \$7.50

ROSE CAP (Linse '60) 40". Tall and vigorous hybrid, near rose in color. Perfectly hardy, with large fragrant flowers. Breeding: New Snow X Cap-
itola. \$17.50

ROSY VEIL (Sass '53) 36". HM '54. Exquisite dainty plicata, with lovely form. Ground color is white, with border of rosy stitching. \$2.00

SABLE NIGHT (Cook '52) 34". Dykes Medal '55. Fine, large flowers of dark, reddish black. \$2.50

SIERRA SKIES (Schortman '54) 38". AM '56. Very blue in the medium range. Excellent. \$3.50

SLICK CHICK (Linse '54) 36". Very fertile pure white child of Lady Mohr. Perfectly branched, slender stalks. Introduced for the hybridizer. \$2.00

SMART TOUCH (Linse '59) 36". Not only a beautiful flower, but a breeder's iris deluxe! Its seedlings are fabulous! Huge blossoms of tremendous substance, borne on heavy stalks, branching near the ground. Standards are primrose yellow, falls to half way out aureolin yellow, balance white. The whole flower beautifully waved, fluted and flaring. Its breeding is Whispers X Temple Bells. \$17.50

SMARTY'S CHILD (Linse '60) 38". This child of Smart Touch has standards of Mimosa yellow and falls of Buttercup yellow, with center tinged lavender. Big, broad, flaring flowers on well branched stalks. \$15.00

SNOW GODDESS (Becherer '55) 38". AM '58. Magnificent white. Beautifully formed, wide and ruffled, with yellow beard. Huge plant and rhizomes. \$3.50

SOFT SHOULDERS (Linse '59) 46". Blooming after practically all others are done, this handsome iris is as near perfection as any I have seen. Huge and broad, with standards of ivory, with violet base, and flaring falls of ivory with golden olive shoulders and orange beard with lavender base. A perfectly branched, magnificent plant with great, wide foliage. From Palomino X Mary Randall. \$20.00

**YOU CAN DO BETTER
AT EASY BREEZE**

SOLID GOLD (Kleinsorge '51) 40". AM '53. A very large and quite popular deep toned yellow. \$1.00

SOUTH PACIFIC (K. Smith '54) 40". AM '58. Beautiful, bright, light blue, with well domed standards and widely flaring falls. \$3.50

SPELLBOUND (Linse '51) HM '52. Glowing red with golden overlay, horizontal flaring form and lovely fragrance. Will breed reds for you. \$1.50

SPRING NOCTURNE (D. Boen '60) 32". Very dark, beautiful hybrid of Spectrum violet, black signal patch and black veins extending to the end of the wide, rounded falls. Heavy substance and well branched, slender stalks. From Sable X Capitola, \$15.00

STARKIST (Tompkins '51) 38". Very fine creamy ground plicata with wide border of rose. \$1.00

STORM WARNING (Schreiner '53) 36". AM '59. Large and imposing blue-black with good growing habits. \$1.00

SUN FROST (Peterson '57) 36". HC '56. Contains a small amount of Wm. Mohr blood, but is tall bearded in appearance. Standards are white, and fall are light yellow. Nice flare, medium size blooms. \$5.00

SWAN BALLET (Muhlestein '55) 40". Dykes Medal '59. Handsome, ruffled and flaring white. Flowers placed like glads, up and down the stalk, but placement is good. Huge stock, bargain price! \$5.00

TABASCO (Craig '51) 38". HM '54. Fiery, bright yellow plicata, with all-over pattern of deep red. \$1.00



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TECHNY CHIMES (Mission '55) 36". AM '57. Large, wide petalled, luminous yellow with tangerine-orange beard. \$4.00

TEMPLE BELLS (Hall '52) 36". AM '54. Huge, flaring apricot-yellow with fiery orange beard. \$1.50

THE CITADEL (Graves-Watkins '54) 36". AM '59. Big, flaring, lovely white. Healthy, hardy and vigorous. One of the best. \$2.50

THE MAD HATTER (Lyons '51) 42". HM '51. Thrifty, tall growing, deep mahogany red. \$1.00

THOTMES III (Kleinsorge '50) 40". AM '53. Excellent, glistening golden-tan. Huge and broad. \$1.00

TOAST AN' HONEY (Kleinsorge '53) 32". HM '55. A rich, light, golden-brown, shading off to deep toast-brown at the edges of the falls. A big, broad flower on heavy stalks. \$2.50

TOP FLIGHT (Hall '53) 34". AM '55. Deep apricot with fiery red beard. Lovely, when well grown. \$1.00

TOP HAT (Schreiner '54) 38". HM '54. Claimed the largest and tallest of the Schreiner blacks. Smoothly finished and broadly rounded, but a bit difficult to grow here. \$1.50

TRANQUILITY (Fay '50) 38". AM '53. A very large milk-white, with white beard. Lovely garden variety. \$1.00

TROPHY (Linse '58) 36". HM '58. Great spreading blooms, with blossoms 9" wide, and falls 4" and over, with heaviest substance and beautiful ruffled form. A near self of Lobelia blue, with great frilly style arms, and beard of bright, deep blue. Increases rapidly and sets seeds. Breeding: New Snow X Capitola. \$15.00

TRULY YOURS (Fay 49) 38". Dykes Medal '53. Bright yellow and white combination with lace. Place in background and stake. Very lovely. \$1.50

VIO (Linse '58) 36". This sister to Trophy and others of my Arilbred line is one of the finest garden flowers that I know. The tremendous blooms of Bishop's violet have an 8" spread, with great, wide falls of heavy substance, are long lasting and non-fading. Loads and loads of lovely blooms. \$6.50

VIOLET HARMONY (Lowry '52) 38". Dykes Medal '57. An extremely vigorous and fine iris of ruffled violet. \$1.75

VOLUNTEER FIREMAN (Cline-Durance '57) 24". HM '59. This little fellow came from a chance pod on Oyez, long considered sterile. Standards are Indian lake, and falls Cardinal red, with dark stripes. Oncobred. \$4.00

WELCOME GUEST (Linse '52) 38". Very handsome and zippy iris of amber-gold, with flaring form and excellent substance. Smooth and lovely. \$2.00

WENATCHEE KID (Noyd '58) 38". Now this one is really something—nothing else like it! A huge blend of tan, burnt sienna, flame and green. Buds are green and the green remains on the back of the falls. Will knock your eye out! \$15.00

WHISPERS (Linse '51) 42". HM '52. Standards are chrome-yellow, and falls are amber white. Large, flaring and vigorous and a fine garden flower. \$1.00

WHITE PEACOCK (Pattison '52) 36". AM '55. Lovely pale blue-white, broad and ruffled. Slightly tender. \$1.50

WILLIWAW (Plough '57) 34". Buds are violet but the blooms are white with the violet remaining on the underside of the falls. \$1.50

WINGED GODDESS (Lyons '56) 36". HM '56. This is a flower of light uranium green, with slight wash of blue-bird blue. Beautiful form and quite fascinating to me. \$5.00

WITCH DOCTOR (Plough '55) 28". HM '56. White Award '60. Enormous Arilbred of grayed, blue-lavender with buffy-tan haft and heart. Very heavy substance. \$2.00

WITH LOVE (Linse '57) 24". Flatly flaring flowers of light heliotrope with huge dark purple signal patch. Small plants and rhizomes. A real cutie! Arilbred. \$12.50

YESTERYEAR (Branch '56) 36". HM '56. Broad and flaring laced variety of delicate orange tone. Non-fading. \$3.50

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WHITE'S LITTLE ONCOBREDS

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NELSON OF HILLY. White standards with lavender cast. Cream falls, peppered with cinnamon and violet dots.

SOME LOVE. Very pretty, with ground color of oyster white, sprinkled with minute dots of cinnamon.

OYEZ. Pinkish white standards, etched with veins of dark rose. Horizontal falls of pinkish cream, veined dark maroon. Maroon signal, and rich chestnut-brown style arms.

SUSAN OF HILLY. Frilled standards of pale amethyst. Falls blended pale yellow and mother of pearl. Violet signal of lines. Tallest of this group.

WHITE'S FERTILE ONCOBREDS

Varieties listed here are all fertile, one way or both, and may be completely hardy—I have tested them to -6° with slight protection. Beautiful flowers with wonderful possibilities for the hybridizer—and to amaze your gardening friends!

***BALI AGHA** (White '51) 30". Lavender standards, veined purple. Falls rich buff, splashed red. Fertile pollen. \$2.00

BEISAN AGA (White '54) 32". Dark black-purple that grows well and increases rapidly. Fertile both ways. \$4.00

BLACK JOPPA (White '54) 32". Dark slate and orchid gray, veined and stippled rosy brown. Fertile pollen. \$2.50

IMAM JABAN (White '55) 32". White standards and yellow falls. Surprisingly well branched for the type and fertile both ways. \$10.00

IMAM SALAH (White '55) 38". HM '60. What a lovely thing! Just simply gorgeous! Large lemon-yellow flower with huge purple signal patch—and fertile both ways! \$15.00

JALLAH ad-DIN (White '?) Lovely brown, with standards tan, falls brown with fine tan border. \$10.00

JALLAH EFFENDI (White '52) 30". Brightest of this group with standards of buff yellow, with delicate mahogany veins, and falls cinnamon yellow flushed red and brilliantly peppered purple. Very fertile and tremendously vigorous. \$2.00

KALIFA BALTIS (White '55) 36". HM '60. Standards light yellow buff, falls golden olive buff, flushed red from the haft and with a small crimson signal. Fertile both ways. \$10.00

KALIFA FATIMA (White '52) 24". HM '52. This one really looks like an Onco. Very dark blue-purple with darker signal patch, and broad beard. Fertile both ways. \$2.00

KALIFA GULNARE (White '55) 36". HM '59. Standards palest lavender, falls rose with deeper signal and golden-buff edge. Vigorous and fertile both ways. Very lovely. \$10.00

***TATAI PASHA** (White '55) 30". A big, vigorous orange-yellow, with falls penciled red-russet, and with brown signal. \$6.50

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PLANTING AND CARE OF YOUR IRISES

These few brief notes are for the novice, experienced growers are aware of these things. When you receive your shipment, open the carton, check the order to make sure you have received everything ordered, and plant immediately in good garden soil, that is well drained and with a sunny exposure. The irises I sell are not bog plants, so do not overwater, but keep moist enough to get them well started, and growing throughout the season. If you feel that your soil needs fertilizer, use one low in nitrogen—such as one would use for potatoes, keeping it well away from the rhizomes—which we plant, here, about one inch below the surface. Well rotted manure and/or compost may also be used. Irises in my fields are all treated alike, Arilbreds, Oncobreds, tall bearded and what have you, but because I'm not absolutely sure of the hardiness of the C. G. White things I mulch them at the beginning of winter with wood excelsior. Anything that will not pack down would do. Plant far enough apart so there will be circulation between the plants, two to three feet, and dust or spray, if it seems necessary, with some good fungicide, of which there are many. I use Captan in a 20% formulation. Aphis and cutworms sometimes bother, as with any plant material, and are easily controlled with insecticides designed for the purpose. If you care for your plants well, the big rhizomes that I send you will nearly all bloom the first year—that is, the year following planting. You will have to separate your plants about the third year, at which time save the husky outside rhizomes and discard the rest. Here's happy growing to you!

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If you love the Oncos, the Regelias, and their hybrids, and are interested in growing or breeding them, then by all means join this young and growing society. The News Letters and the Year Book will be of inestimable value to you. Here you will learn of the experiences of others, and can build on their successes. Dues are only \$3.00 a year, and may be sent to Mrs. Wiloh Wilkes, 10607 Marybell Avenue, Sunland, Calif.

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